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Subject: Communications on Animas River Spill

Nancy,

Is there a communication strategy already pulled together for how the Agency is responding to the Animas River spill? Shahid Mahmud has been getting calls from different folks in the regions who in turn are getting questions from community members, e.g., could something like this happen at the mine that is in our community? Has someone already put together some FAQs about the spill, e.g., when it happened, how it happened, what is acid mine drainage, etc.

Also, who is the lead for communications on the spill? Is it region 8?

Thanks. We just want to be coordinated with whoever is the lead for the communications, and don't want to reinvent the wheel on anything.

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